## PATENT APPLICATION Q-60668

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Katsutoshi IWAMURA

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For:

CONTROL UNIT AND METHODS OR CONTROLLING MOTOR FOR USE IN

PRINTER, AND STORAGE MEDIUM STORING CONTROL PROGRAM

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §§ 1.97 and 1.98

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to Applicants' duty of voluntary disclosure under Rule 56, and for the Examiner's convenience, we submit herewith:

- a) a form PTO-1449 listing one (1) reference of potential relevancy; and,
- b) a complete copy of the reference.

No certification or fee is required.

Regarding the concise explanation of relevancy requirement for foreign language documents, an English-language abstract is also attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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